

Where Are the Birds?

Twenty-four raptor species spend all or part of the year in the Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area.



Nesting Raptors	Species	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	
	American Kestrel	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Golden Eagle	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Ferruginous Hawk*	Small Number in NCA through the winter	Migrating	National Conservation Area					Migrating	Small number in the NCA through the winter				
	Northern Harrier	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Prairie Falcon	Migrating	National Conservation Area						Moves to Higher Elevation Prairies	Migrating	Southwest U.S.			
	Red-tailed Hawk	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Swainson's Hawk	Argentina		Migrating	National Conservation Area						Migrating	Argentina		
	Turkey Vulture	SW U.S. & Mexico	Migrating	National Conservation Area						Migrating	Southwest U.S. and Mexico			
	Barn Owl	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Burrowing Owl	SW U.S. & Mexico	Migrating	National Conservation Area						Migrating	Southwest U.S. and Mexico			
	Great Horned Owl	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
	Long-eared Owl	National Conservation Area						Migrating	Higher Elevations		Migrating	National Conservation Area		
	N. Saw-whet Owl	Migrating	National Conservation Area				Migrating	Currently Unknown - Possibly Southwest U.S. (Arizona)						
	Short-eared Owl	Can be seen in the NCA year-round												
Western Screech Owl	Can be seen in the NCA year-round													
Migrating Raptors	Species	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	
	Bald Eagle	National Conservation Area			Central and Northern Idaho & other regions further north									
	Cooper's Hawk	National Conservation Area		Migrating			Higher elevation areas in Idaho		Migrating			National Conservation Area		
	Gyrfalcon	Possibly in National Conservation Area		Migrating	Arctic regions of Canada and Alaska						Migrating	Possibly in National Conservation Area		
	Merlin	National Conservation Area		Migrating	Canada and Alaska						Migrating	National Conservation Area		
	Northern Goshawk	National Conservation Area		Migrating				Central Idaho Mountains/Forests		Migrating			National Conservation Area	
	Osprey	Central & South America		Migrating	Central and Northern Idaho along rivers and lakes					Migrating	Central and South America			
	Peregrine Falcon	Southwest U.S. & Northern Mexico		Migrating	Historically used the National Conservation Area			Higher elevation plains		Migrating			Southwest U.S. & Northern Mexico	
	Rough-legged Hawk	National Conservation Area				Migrating	Arctic regions of Canada and Alaska				Migrating	National Conservation Area		
	Sharp-shinned Hawk	National Conservation Area		Migrating			Higher elevations in Idaho		Migrating			National Conservation Area		
		In the NCA				Not in the NCA								

